Tobacco Use Among Michigan High School Students

Among high school students, grades 9-12:	MI YRBS 2011*	MI YRBS 2013*
Current cigarette smokers	14.0%	11.8%
Smokeless tobacco users	7.6%	6.9%
Current cigar users	12.1%	10.7%
Current tobacco users	19.6%	17.9%
Tried to quit smoking cigarettes	55.9%	51.9%
Bought cigarettes in a store or gas station	15.7%	15.4%

^{*} The **Michigan Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS)** is part of a nationwide surveying effort led by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to monitor students' health risks and behaviors in six categories identified as most likely to result in adverse outcomes: 1) unintentional injury and violence; 2) tobacco use; 3) alcohol and other drug use; 4) sexual behaviors that contribute to unintended pregnancy or disease; 5) dietary behaviors; and 6) physical inactivity. More information is available at www.michigan.gov/yrbs.